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THE CHAIRS REPRESENTED IN THIS CATALOGUE

ALL HAVE THE

# Patent Woven Cane or Rattan Seats,

WHICH, WHILE ADDING TO THE BEAUTY OF SAME, POSSESS WEARING QUALITIES THAT  
THE OLD FASHIONED OPEN CANE SEAT DOES NOT.

While all the patterns are desirable we wish to call particular attention to

Nos. 3006, 3208, 3004, 3104, 3204, 3403, 3406, AND 3407 S. S.

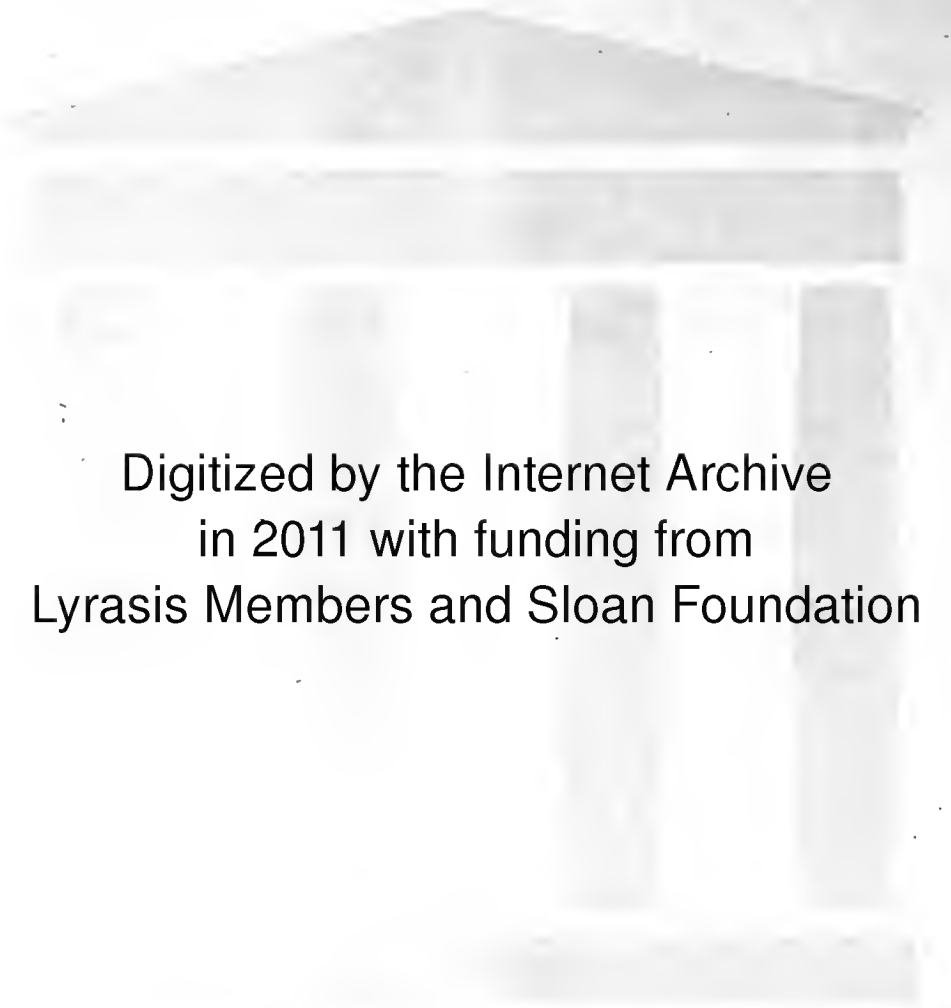
IN THE REED GOODS, AND

Nos. 562 O. P., 612 O. P., 662 O. P., 1010, 1018, 1066, 1166, 1266, 1068, 1168, 1268, 1050, 1150 AND 1250

IN THE RATTAN.

WE FURNISH CHAIRS TO MATCH ANY OF THE ROCKERS REPRESENTED

IN THESE PAGES, WHEN DESIRED.



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We desire to call the attention of our patrons to the fact that this catalogue represents only one department of our extensive business.

## THE MASSIVE BUILDING, NO. 615 WASHINGTON STREET,

With its six floors 40 x 200 feet, furnishes ample and convenient space for the display of our varied stock, and a brief description of its arrangement will give the reader some idea of the magnitude of our facilities. On

### THE FIRST FLOOR

Are located our general offices and shipping department. Also on this floor will be found a fine variety of Book Cases, from the simple Hanging Shelves at two dollars each to the elaborate Library Case valued at as many hundred dollars; over fifty different patterns constantly in stock. Also Office Desks and Tables, Parlor Cabinets in ebony and black walnut. Hanging Cabinets for decorating the wall, beautiful and useful. From this floor a large passenger elevator is in readiness to convey customers to the different floors. Also a large freight elevator is in constant use from our shipping department to the different floors.

### THE SECOND FLOOR.

This large ware-room is completely filled with an attractive display of Furniture. The front portion is entirely devoted to the display of Upholstery Goods and Curtains. Our stock is at all times complete and contains the most desirable styles. We make to order Shades and Draperies in all the approved styles, from original designs, the department being in charge of a competent and skillful manager. Turning from this department will be found an immense variety of over one hundred Chairs, adapted to parlor, library or sitting-room, costing from \$2.00 to \$75.00. Also Parlor Sets, covered and ready for use, Tables in great variety, Easels, Pedestals, Ladies' Desks, Music Stands, Brackets, Towel Racks, Mirrors, Sideboards, 50 different styles, Extension Dining Tables, full assortment. Also Hat Trees, Hall Chairs and Tables. The rear portion of this room is entirely devoted to the display of our stock of

## RATTAN FURNITURE,

The inspection of which would repay every housekeeper; the designs of the principal articles are shown in this book.

TO OUR CUSTOMERS AT A DISTANCE: IN ORDERING RATTAN GOODS ENCLOSE P. O. ORDER OR CASHIER'S CHECK, AND GOODS WILL BE DELIVERED AT DEPOTS FREE.



## THE THIRD FLOOR

Is devoted entirely to the exhibition of Chamber Furniture and its collateral branches. This floor, with its entire space of 40 x 200 feet, is entirely occupied by this stock, and offers an interesting study to the customer with its one hundred Chamber Sets in all the modern styles, in cost from \$15.00 to \$500.00, produced in pine, ash, black walnut, maple, and mahogany; Wardrobes, Chiffoniers, Shaving Stands, Cabinets and Bedets, Brass and Iron Bedsteads, Cribs and Children's Beds.

## BEDDING.

In this department we offer unusual inducements, as we manufacture all our goods. Mattresses in excelsior, husk, fibre, palm leaf and the best horse hair; Pillows and Bolsters, Excelsior, Hair and Feathers; Spring Beds, twenty-five different styles.

## CHURCH CUSHIONS

We make a specialty of. We solicit correspondence, having furnished over 100 churches in the vicinity of Boston.

## THE FOURTH FLOOR.

The rear portion of this floor we use for the manufacture of Shades and Draperies; balance of room for a large stock of every variety of Cane Seat Chairs; also fine Dining Chairs upholstered in leather; also Reclining Chairs, Students' Chairs, Lounges, Sofa Beds, Parlor Sets in hair cloth. Also on this floor Kitchen Furniture, Refrigerators.

## THE FIFTH FLOOR.

The rear portion of this floor is devoted to Upholstering, affording a large workroom which is used to its full capacity. In the front portion will be found a large variety of Parlor and Library Furniture upholstered in muslin, enabling the customer to select first the articles then the coverings. Also Lounges, Divans, Patent Rockers, Chairs of odd styles; corner chairs, window chairs.

With all the room we have described we are obliged to occupy several adjacent buildings for the different branches of manufacturing, every department being in charge of competent foremen.

With this brief description it will be seen that our facilities are such as to enable us to offer our customers every legitimate advantage.

A visit to our warerooms will prove the truth of our statements and repay the purchaser.







No. 3304.



No. 3354.

No. 3303.	Child's Cape May Sitting,	\$1.25
No. 3304.	" " " Rocking,	1.50
No. 3304½.	" " " High,	1.75
No. 3304½.	" " " " with Table,	1.75

No. 3353.	Misses' Cape May Sitting,	\$2.00
No. 3354.	" " " Rocking,	2.50
No. 3354½.	" " " Table,	2.25





No. 3004.

No. 3004. Ladies' Cape May Rocking Chair, \$4.75

Ebonized, 50 cents extra.



No. 3204.

No. 3104. Gents' Cape May Rocking Chair, \$6.00

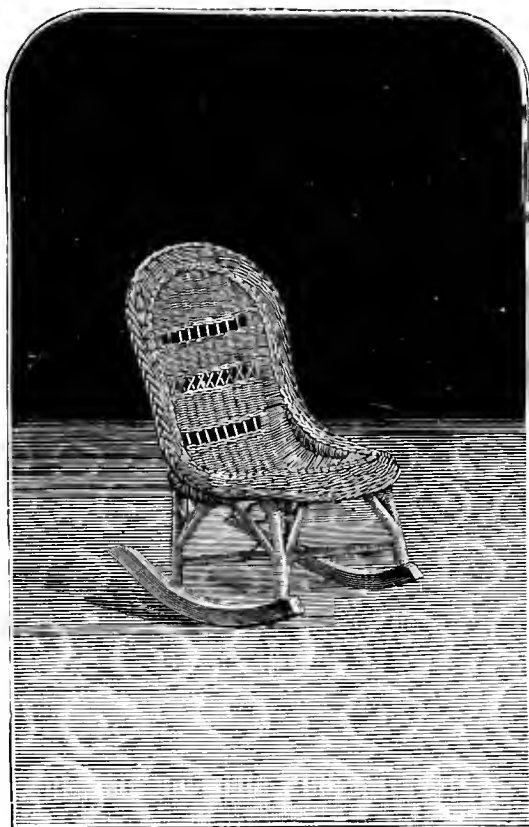
No. 3204. Ex. Large Cape May Rocking Chair, 7.50

Ebonized, 75 cents extra.





No. 3104, P. R.



No. 3306.

No. 3004. P. R. Ladies' Cape May Patent Rocker, \$7.50

No. 3104. P. R. Gents' " " " " 8.50

No. 3204. P. R. Ex.Large " " " " 10.00

No. 3306. Child's Comfort Rocking Chair, \$2.50

Ebonized, \$1.00 extra.





No. 3003.



No. 3006.

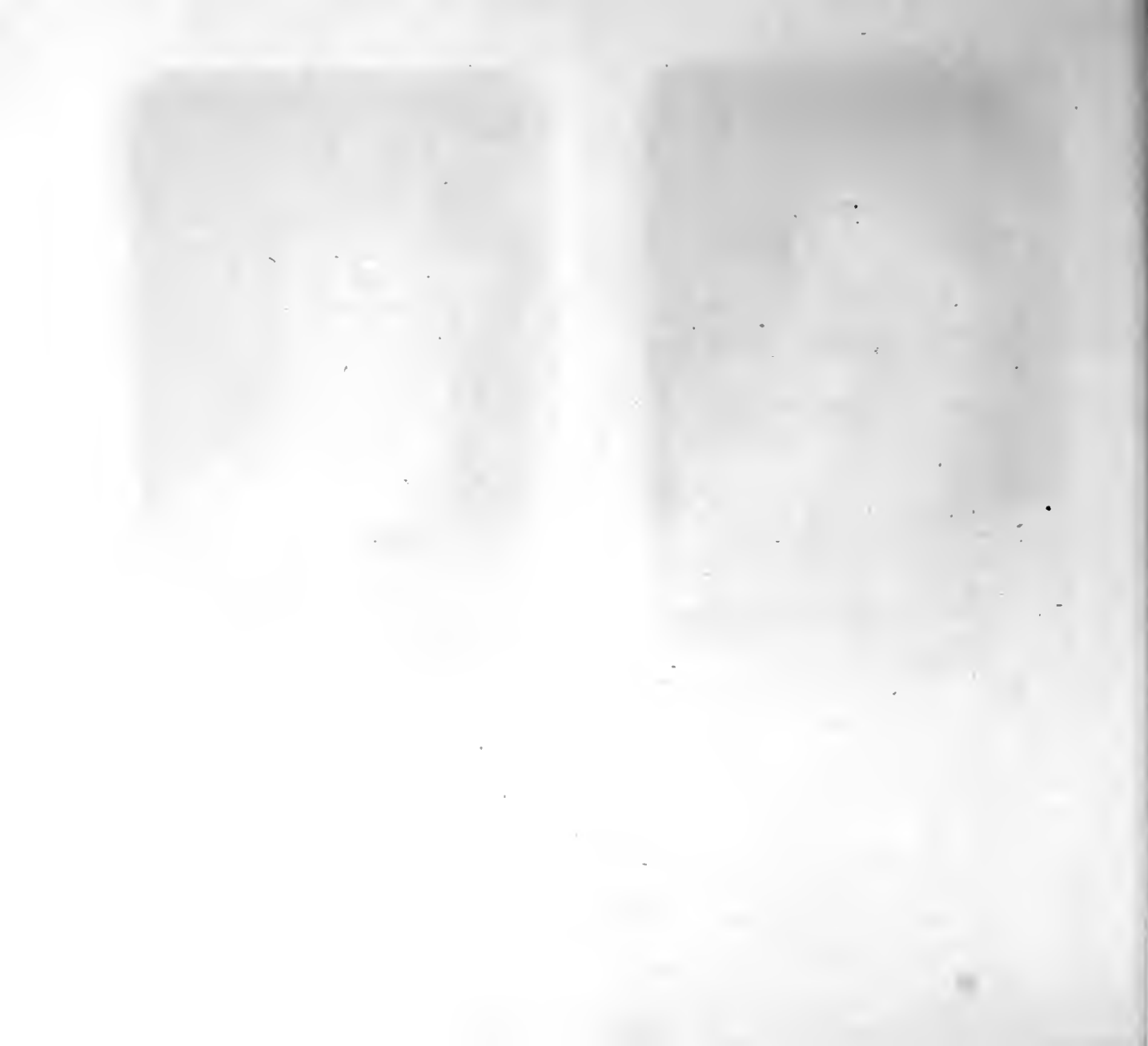
No. 3005.	Ladies' Comfort Reception Chair,	\$5.00	No. 3006.	Ladies' Comfort Rocking Chair,	\$5.50
No. 3205.	Ex. Large " " "	7.00	No. 3206.	Ex. Large " " "	7.50

No. 3005 Ebonized, 50 cents extra.

No. 3205 Ebonized, 75 cents extra.

No. 3006 Ebonized, 50 cents extra.

No. 3206 Ebonized, 75 cents extra.







No. 3208.



No. 3402.

No. 3207.	Ex. Large Comfort Sitting Chair,	\$7.50
No. 3208.	“ “ “ Rocking Chair,	8.00
No. 3208. P. R.	Ex. Large Patent Rocker,	10.75
	With High Arms.	

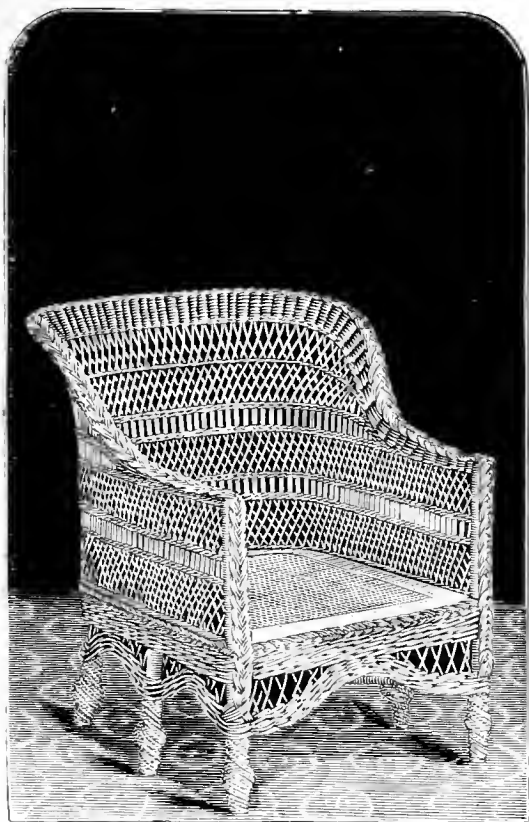
No. 3401.	Ladies' Albion Sitting Chair,	\$6.00
No. 3402.	“ “ Rocking Chair,	{6.50

Ebonized, 50 cents extra.

Nos. 3207 and 3208 Ebonized, 75 cents extra.

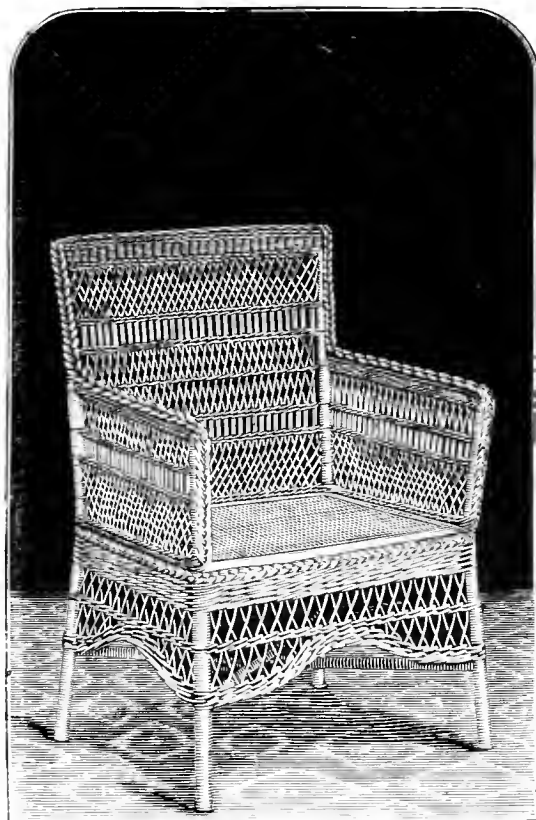
No. 3208 P. R. Ebonized, \$1.00 extra.





No. 3403.

No. 3403.	Albion Large Arm,	\$11.00
No. 3403.	“ “ “ Ebonized,	12.00



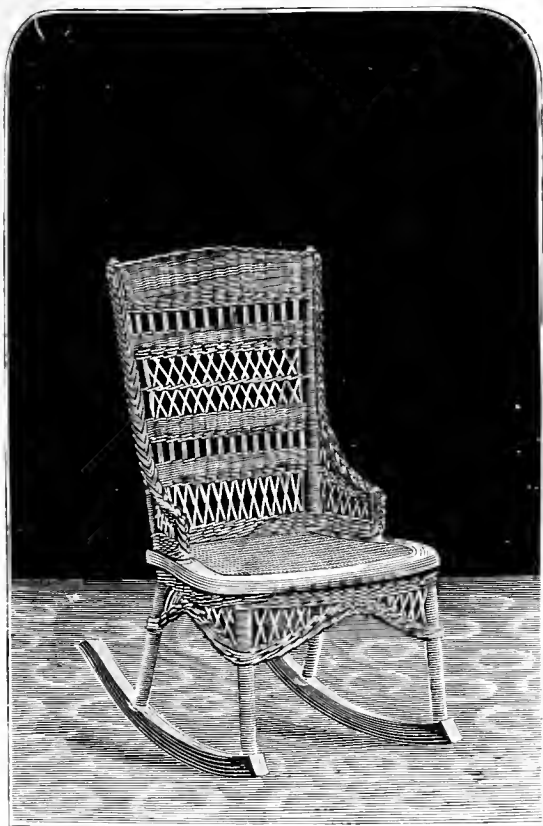
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No. 3407. S. S. Cambridge Large Arm,	\$8.00
No. 3413. Yale Large Arm,	9.00

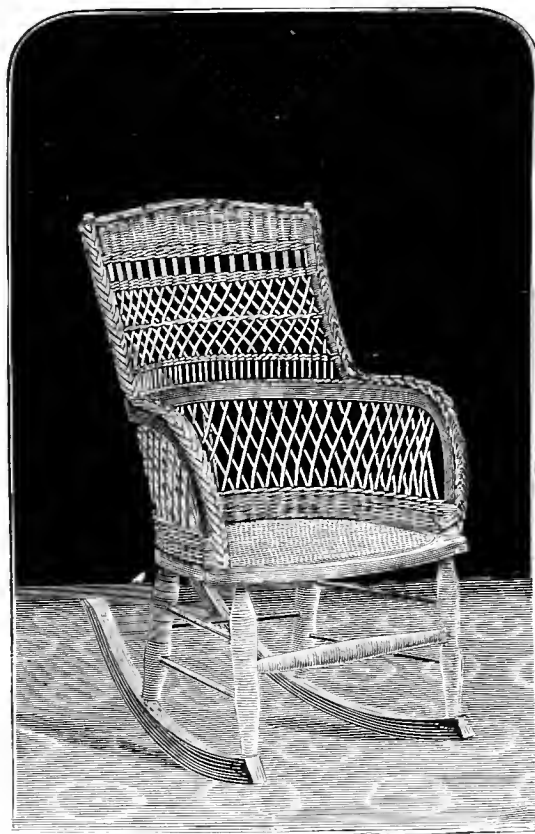
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No. 3407 is same pattern as Cut No. 3413 shows, only smaller.





No. 3406.



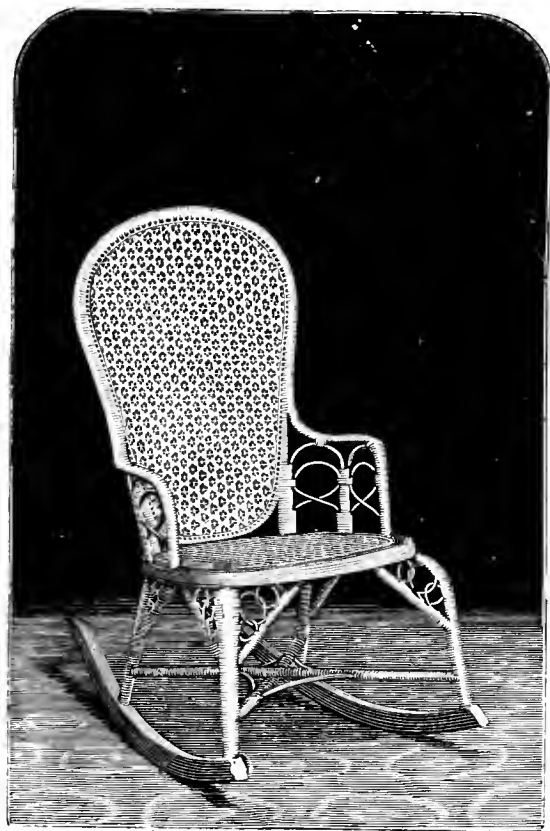
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No. 3405.	Ladies' Cambridge Reception Chair,	\$4.25
No. 3406.	" " Rocking " "	4.75
No. 3409.	" " Cottage " "	3.25

Ebonized, 50 cents extra.

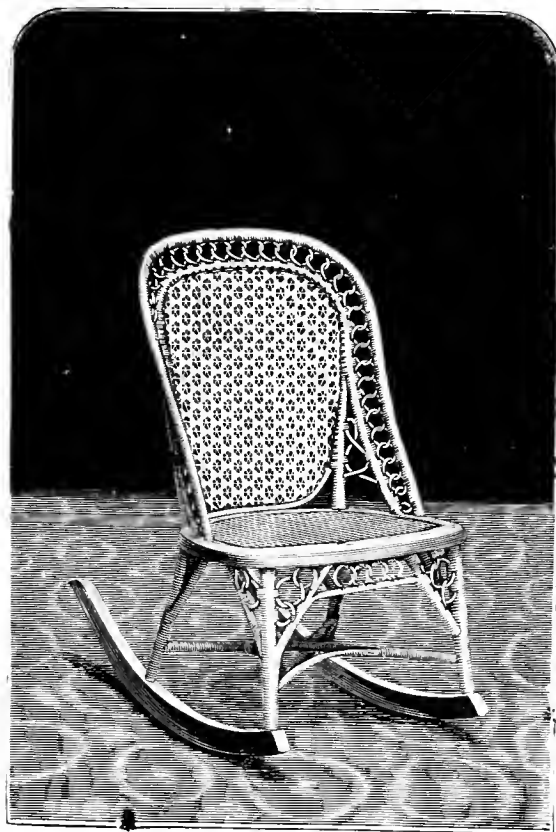
No. 3417.	Nahant Library Chair,	\$4.25
No. 3418.	" " Rocking Chair.	4.75





No. 550 $\frac{1}{2}$ .

No. 549 $\frac{1}{2}$ . Ladies' Sewing Chair, \$5.00  
 No. 550 $\frac{1}{2}$ . " Rocking Chair, 5.50



No. 544.

No. 543. Ladies' Nurse Sitting Chair, \$5.00  
 No. 544. " " Rocking Chair, 5.50







No. 1802.

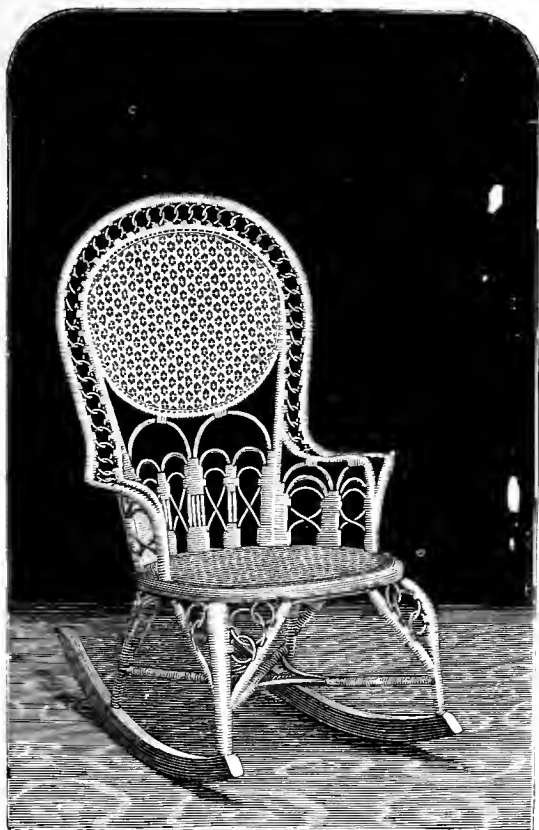
No. 1801.	Ladies' Nurse Sitting Chair.	\$5.50
No. 1802.	" " Rocking Chair.	6.00



No. 1806.

No. 1805.	Gents' Reception Chair.	\$7.00
No. 1806.	" Rocking "	7.50





No. 554, R. P.



No. 654, R. P.

No. 553. R. P.	Ladies' Sitting Chair,	\$6.00
No. 554. R. P.	“ Rocking Chair,	6.50

No. 603. R. P.	Gents' Sitting Chair,	\$7.50
No. 604. R. P.	“ Rocking Chair,	8.00
No. 653. R. P.	Extra Large Sitting Chair,	9.00
No. 654. R. P.	“ “ Rocking Chair,	9.50





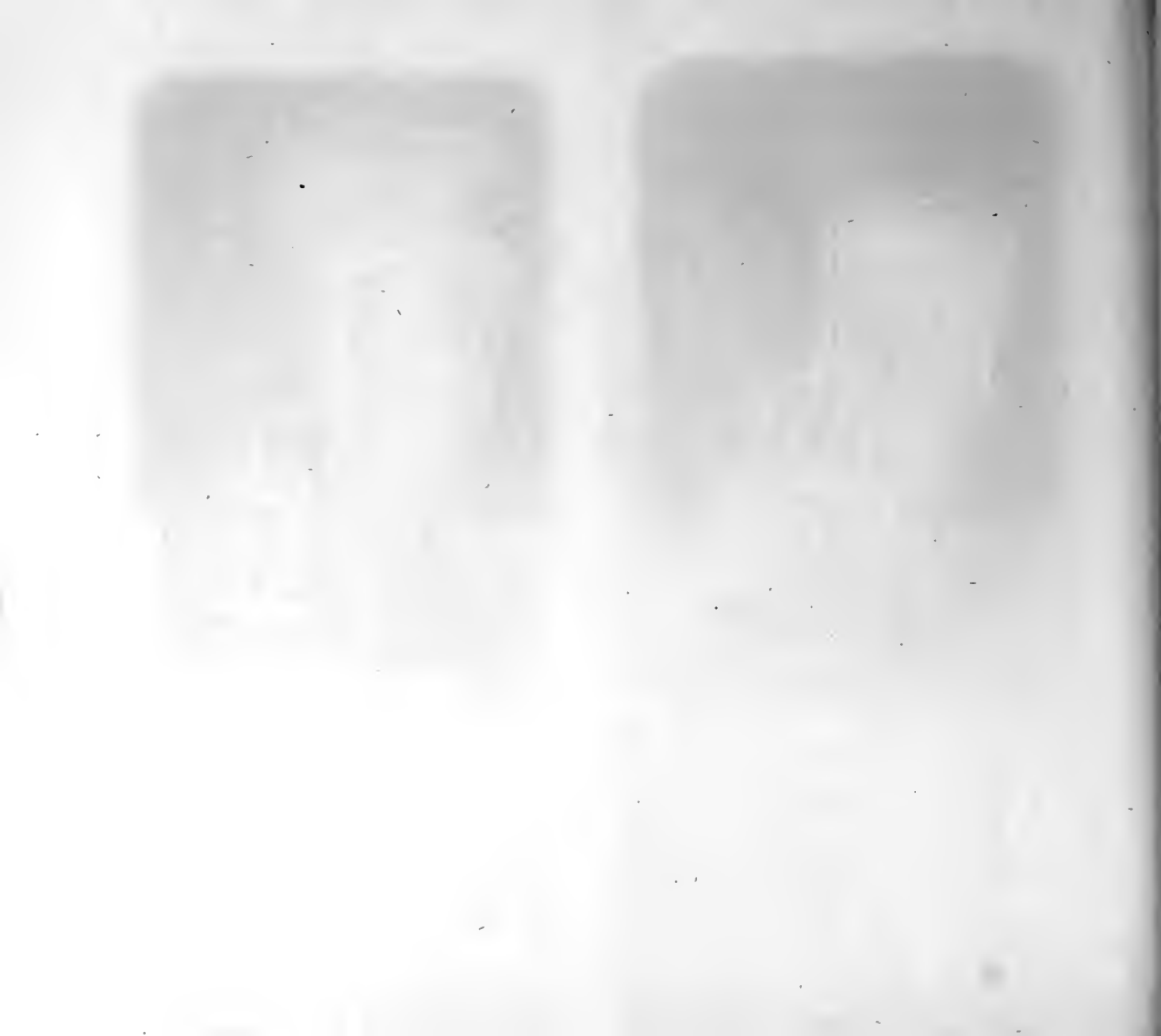
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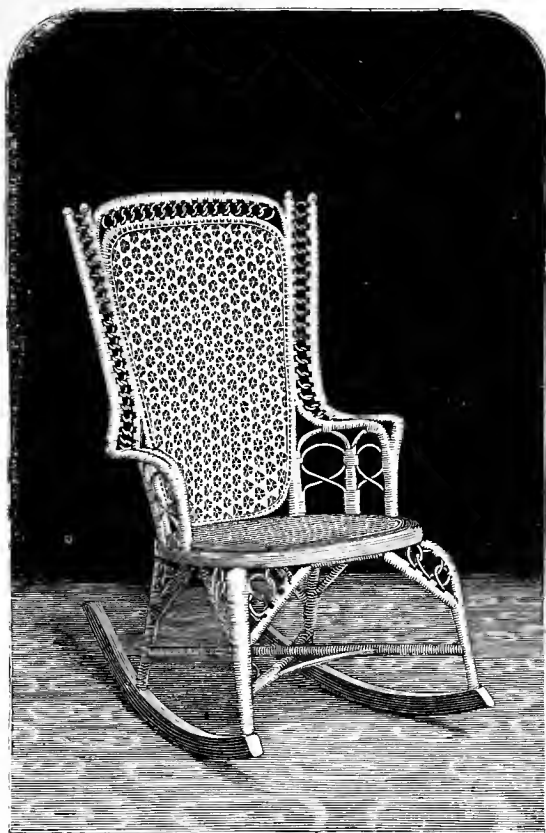


No. 661.

No. 559.	Ladies' Sitting Chair, Open Back,	\$5.00
No. 560.	" Rocking " " "	5.50
No. 609.	Gents' Sitting " " "	6.50
No. 610.	" Rocking " " "	7.00
No. 659.	Ex. Large Sitting Chair, Open Back,	8.00
No. 660.	" " Rocking " " "	8.50

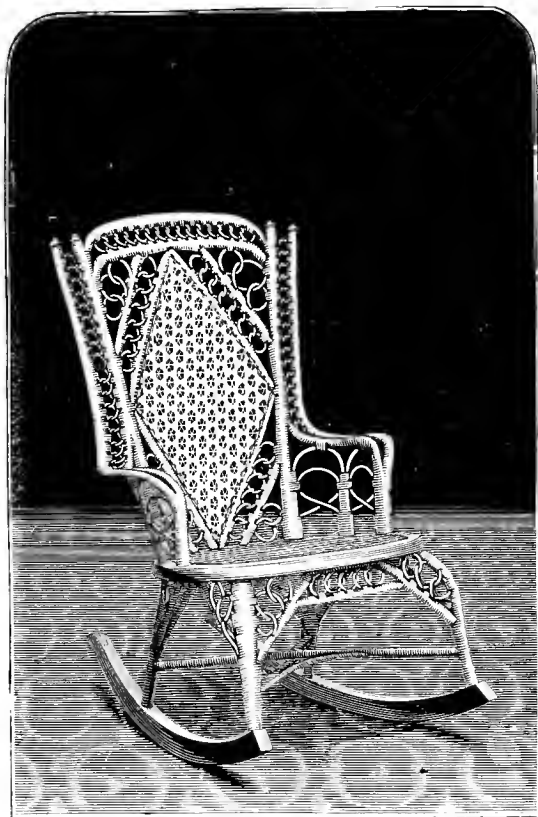
No. 561.	Ladies' Sitting Chair, Star Back,	\$6.00
No. 611.	Gents' " " " "	7.50
No. 661.	Ex. Large " " " "	9.00





No. 562.

No. 562.	Ladies' Rocking Chair, Star Back,	\$6.50
No. 612.	Gents' " " " "	8.00
No. 662.	Ex. Large " " " "	9.50



No. 562, D. P.

No. 562. D. P.	Ladies' Rocking Chair,	\$7.50
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No. 662. D. P.	Ex. Large " "	10.50







No. 562, O. P.

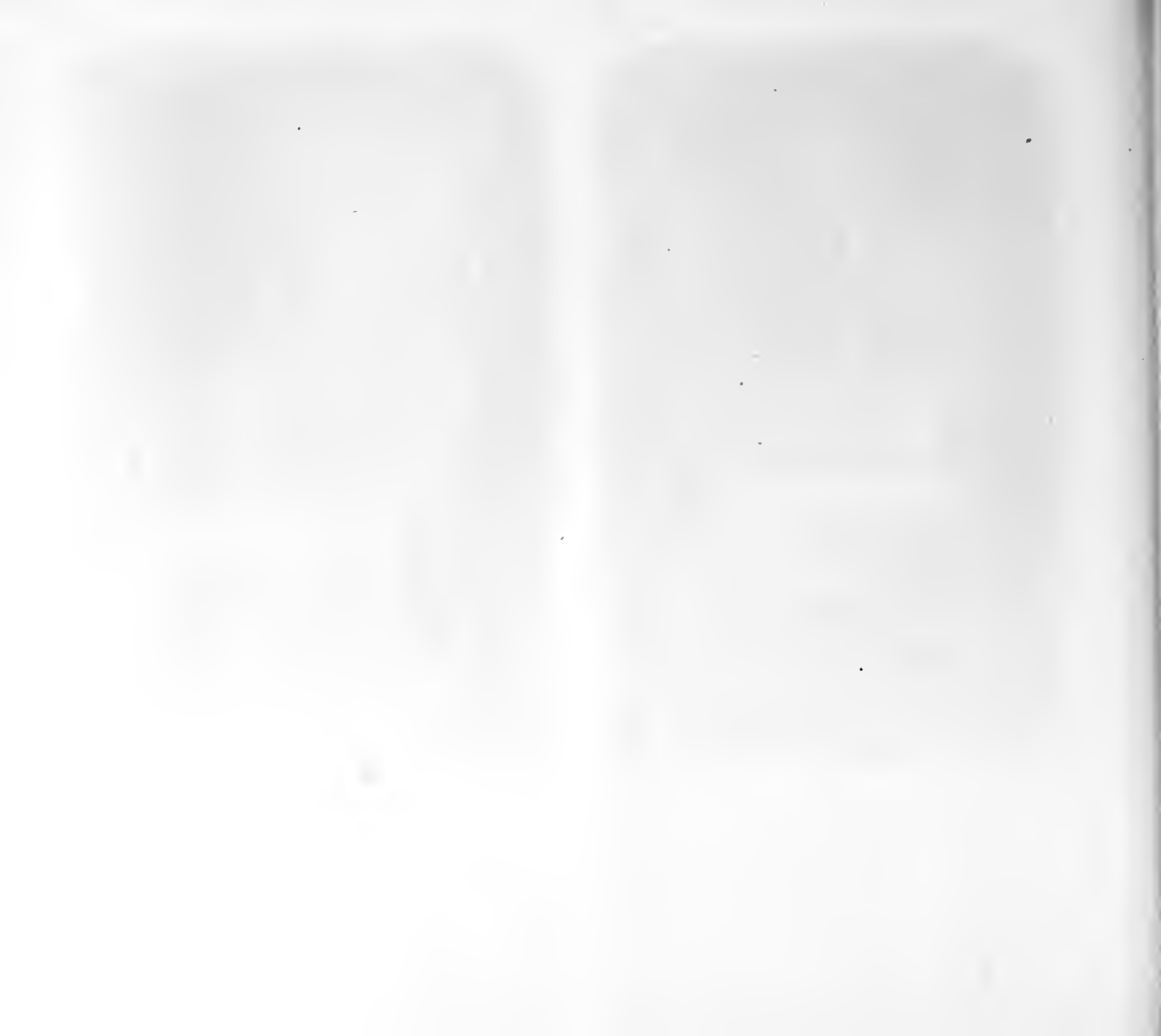


No. 662, O. P.

No. 561. O. P. Ladies' Sitting Chair, Oval Panel, \$6.00  
 No. 562. O. P. " Rocking " " " 6.50

No. 611. O. P. Gents' Sitting Chair, \$7.50  
 No. 612. O. P. " Rocking " 8.00  
 No. 661. O. P. Ex. Large Sitting Chair, 9.00  
 No. 662. O. P. " " Rocking " 9.50

With Oval Panels.





No. 576.



No. 676.

No. 575. Ladies' Sitting Chair, Esparto Back. \$10.50  
 No. 576. " Rocking " " " 11.00

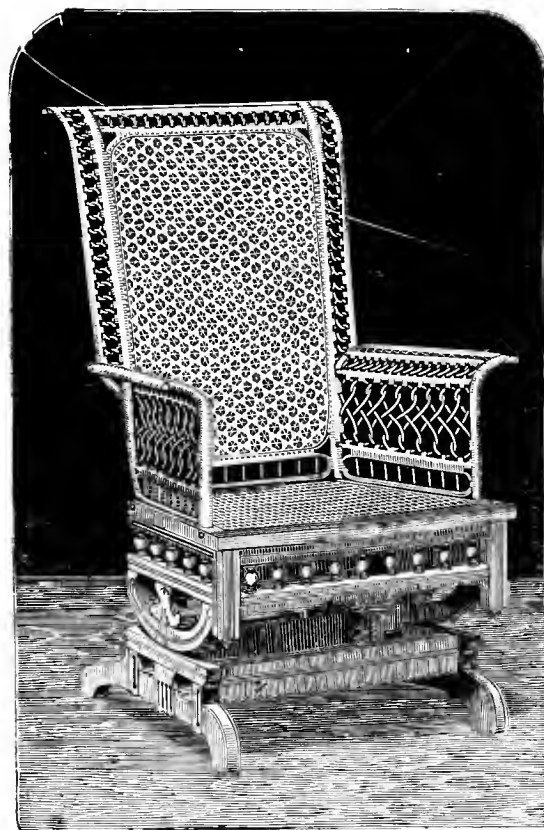
No. 625. Gents' Sitting Chair, Esparto Back. \$13.00  
 No. 626. " Rocking " " " 13.50  
 No. 675. Ex. Large Sitting Chair, Esparto Back, 15.50  
 No. 676. " " Rocking " " " 16.00





No. 1006.

No. 1006.	Ladies' Rocking Chair,	\$8.00
No. 1106.	Gents' " "	10.00
No. 1206.	Ex. Large Rocking Chair,	12.00

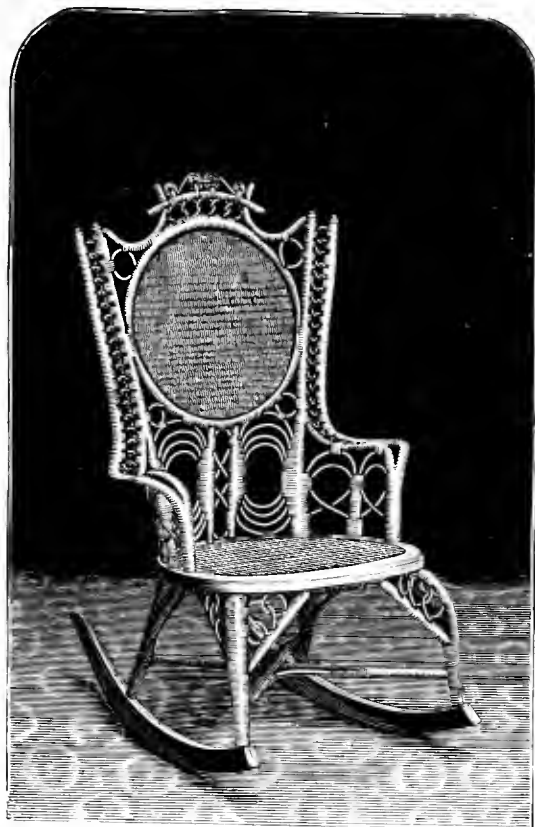


No. 1206, P. R.

No. 1006. P. R.	Ladies' Patent Rocker,	\$12.00
No. 1106. P. R.	Gents' " "	14.00
No. 1206. P. R.	Ex. Large Patent Rocker,	16.00

Above made with Esparto Backs, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00 extra.



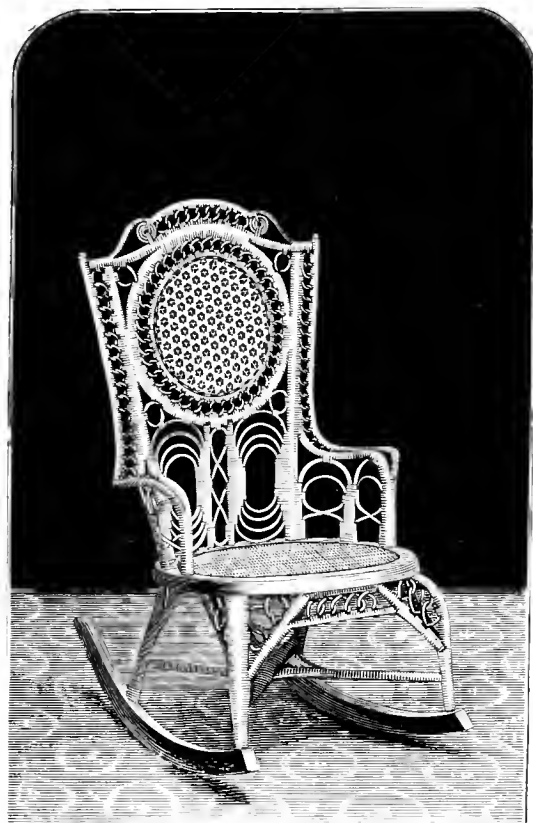


No. 1018.

No. 1010. Ladies' Rocking, Star Back, \$6.50

No. 1018. " " Woven Back, 6.50

These are made with Top like No. 1034.



No. 1034.

No. 1034. Ladies' Rocking Chair, \$7.50

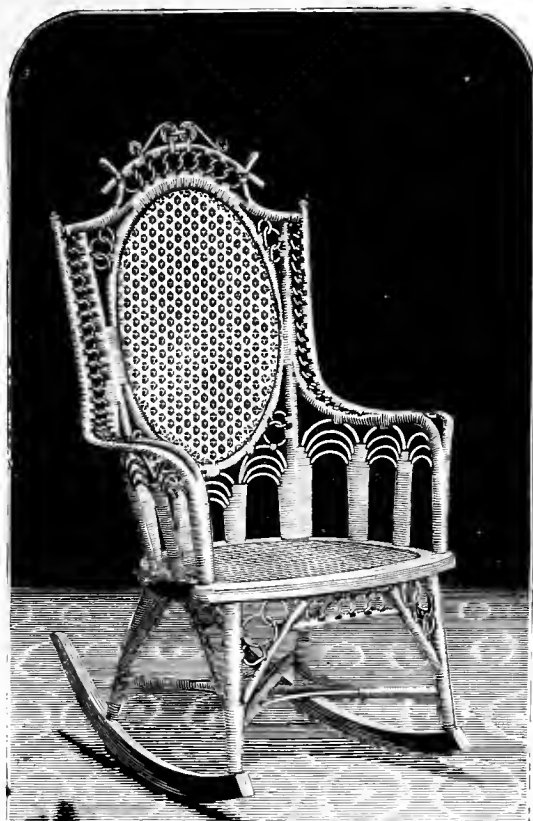
No. 1134. Gents' " " 9.00

No. 1234. Ex. Large Rocking Chair, 10.50

Above with inside row of ring work left out, \$1.00 less.



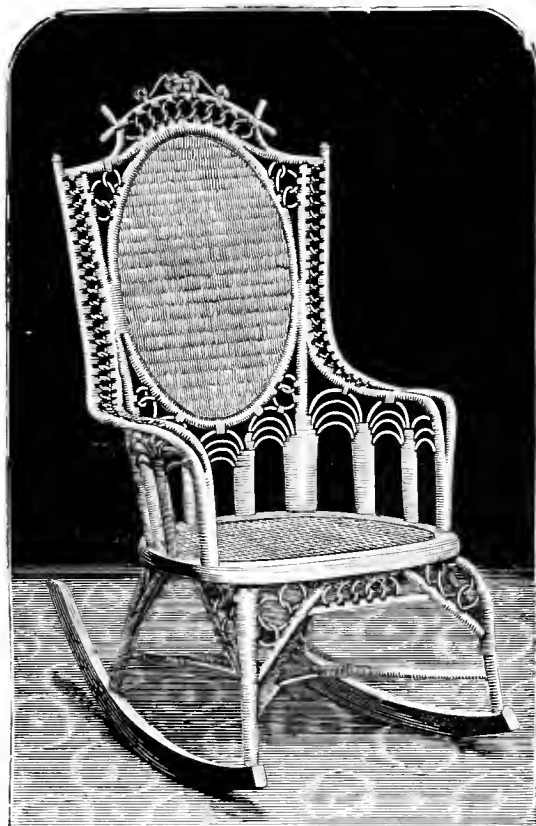




No. 1124.

No. 1024.	Ladies' Rocking Chair,	\$6.50
No. 1124.	Gents' " "	8.00
No. 1224.	Ex. Large Rocking Chair,	9.50

Above are made with Top like No. 1034.

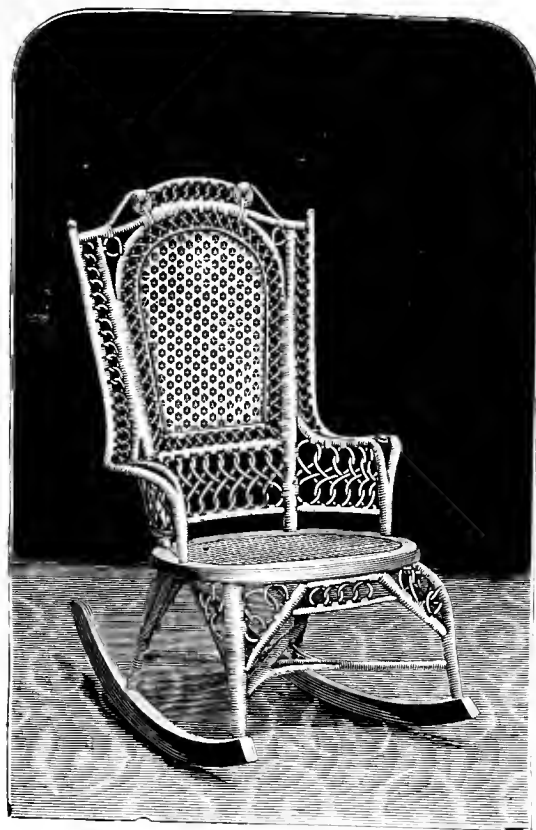


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No. 1226.	Ex. Large Rocking Chair,	9.50

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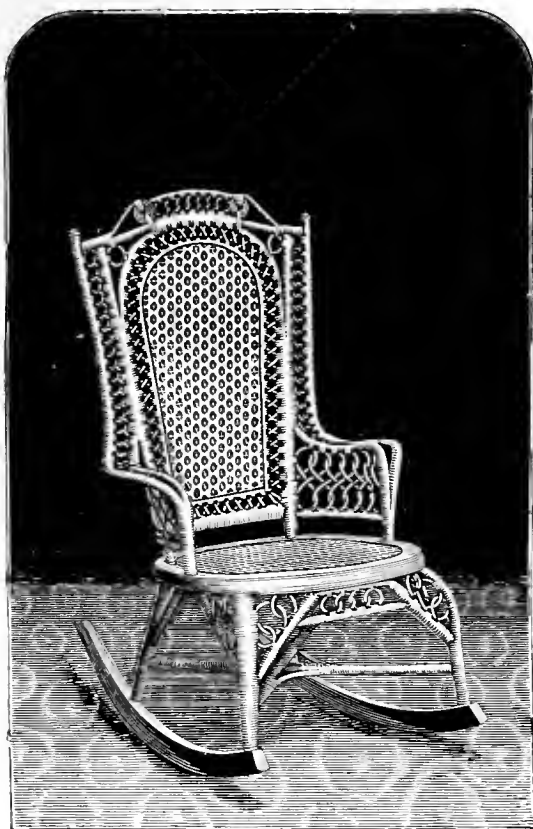
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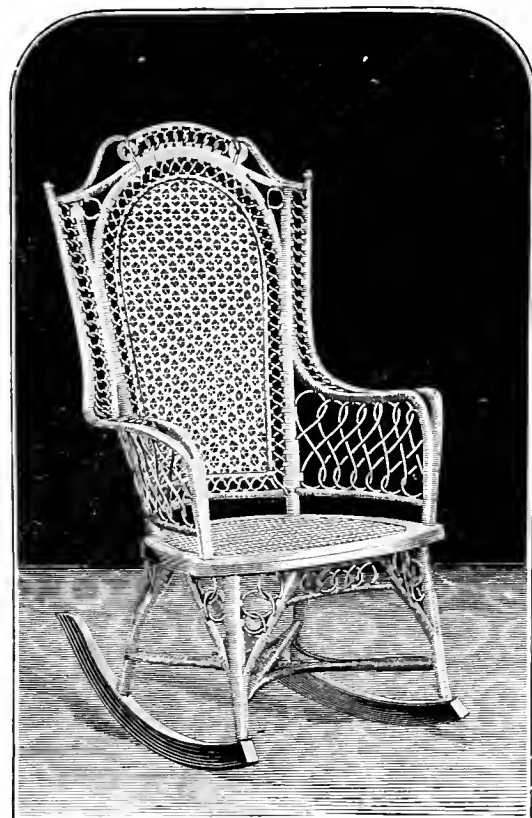
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No. 1030.	Ladies' Rocking Chair,	\$7.50	No. 1130.	Gents' Rocking Chair,	\$9.00
No. 1066.	Same as 1030 with inside rings left out,	6.50	No. 1230.	Ex. Large Rocking Chair,	10.50
			No. 1166.	Same as 1130 with inside rings left out,	8.00
			No. 1266.	Same as 1230      "      "      "	9.50





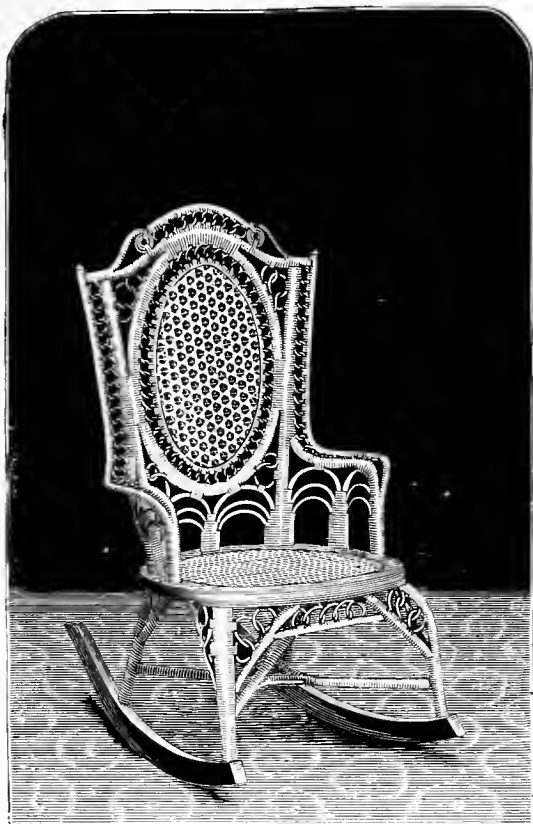
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No. 1132.

No. 1032.	Ladies' Rocking Chair,	\$7.50	No. 1132.	Gents' Rocking Chair,	\$9.00
No. 1068.	Same as 1032 with inside rings left out,	6.50	No. 1232.	Ex. Large Rocking Chair,	10.50
			No. 1168.	Same as 1132 with inside rings left out,	8.00
			No. 1268.	Same as 1232     "     "     "	9.50





No. 1036.

No. 1035. Ladies' Sitting Chair, \$7.00

No. 1036. " Rocking " 7.50

Above with inside row of rings left out, \$1.00 less.



No. 1136.

No. 1135. Gents' Sitting Chair, \$8.50

No. 1136. " Rocking " 9.00

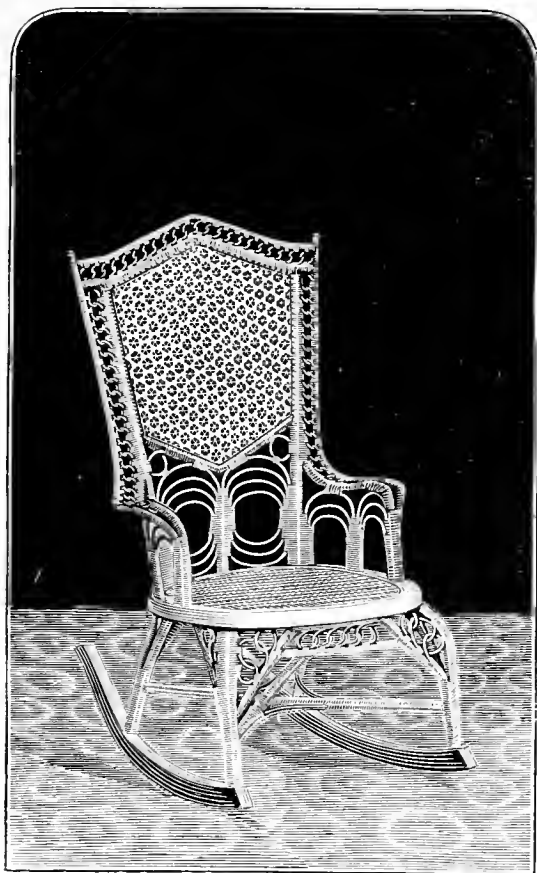
No. 1235. Ex.Large Sitting " 10.00

No. 1236. " Rocking " 10.50

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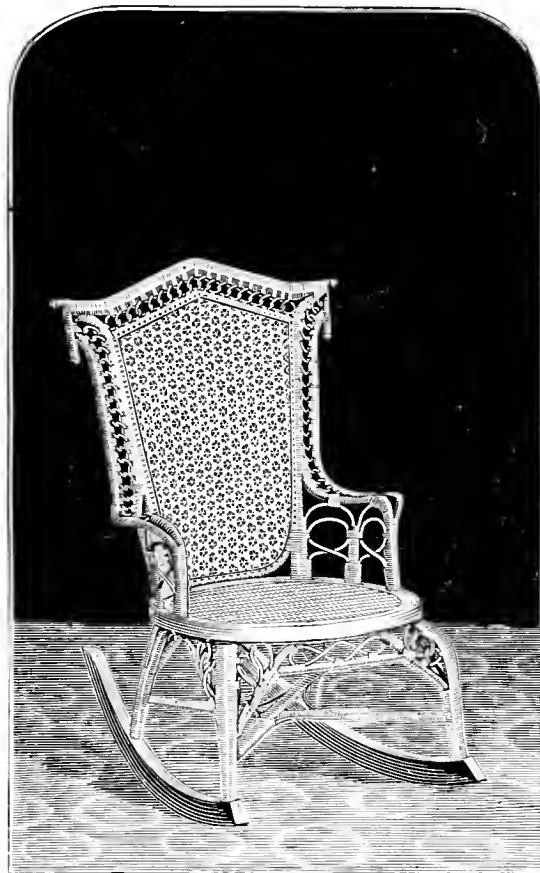






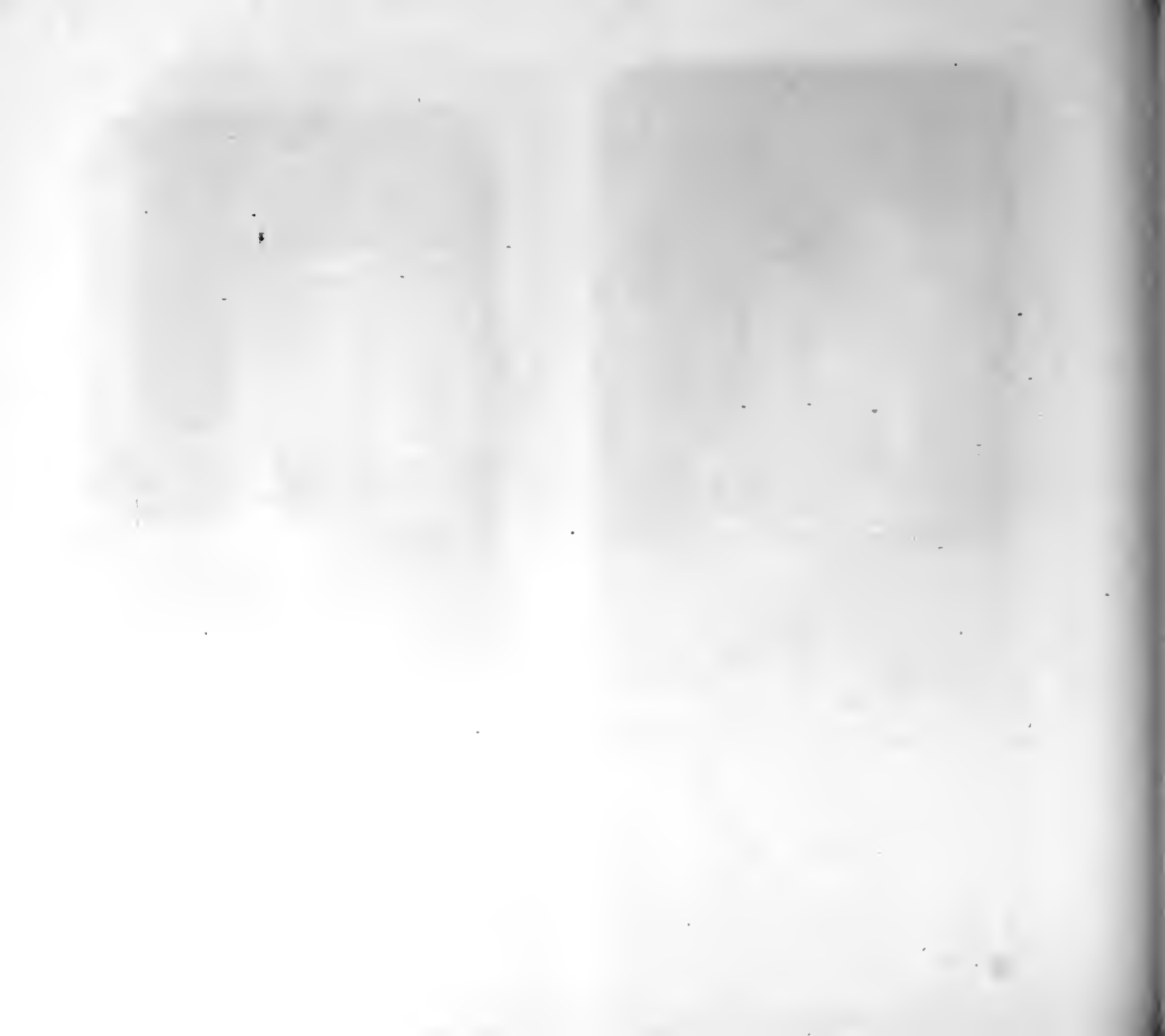
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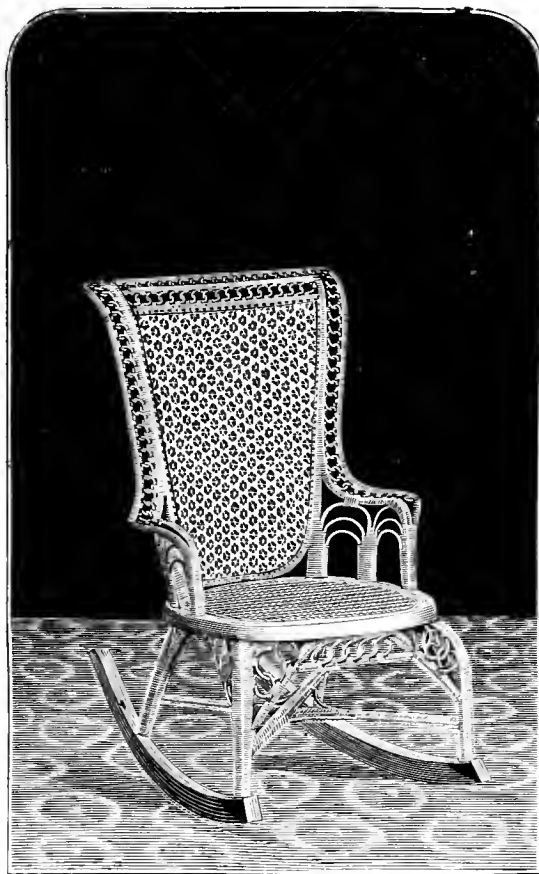
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No. 1244.	Ex. Large Rocking Chair,	9.50



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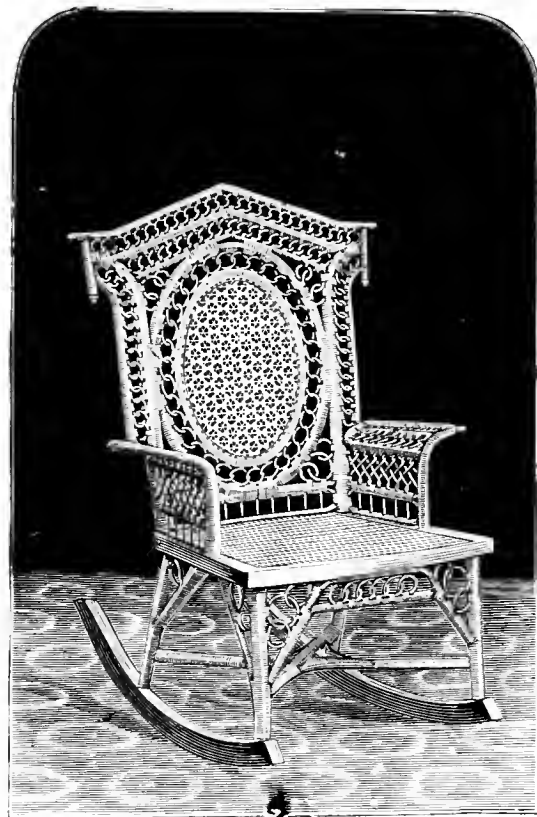
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No. 1150.	Gents' " "	8.00
No. 1250.	Ex. Large Rocking Chair,	9.50





No. 1054.

No. 1054.	Ladies' Rocking Chair,	\$7.00
No. 1154.	Gents' " "	8.50
No. 1254.	Ex. Large " "	10.00



No. 1064.

No. 1064.	Ladies' Rocking Chair,	\$9.00
No. 1164.	Gents' " "	11.00
No. 1264.	Ex. Large " "	13.00





No. 691.

CHILD'S CRIB.

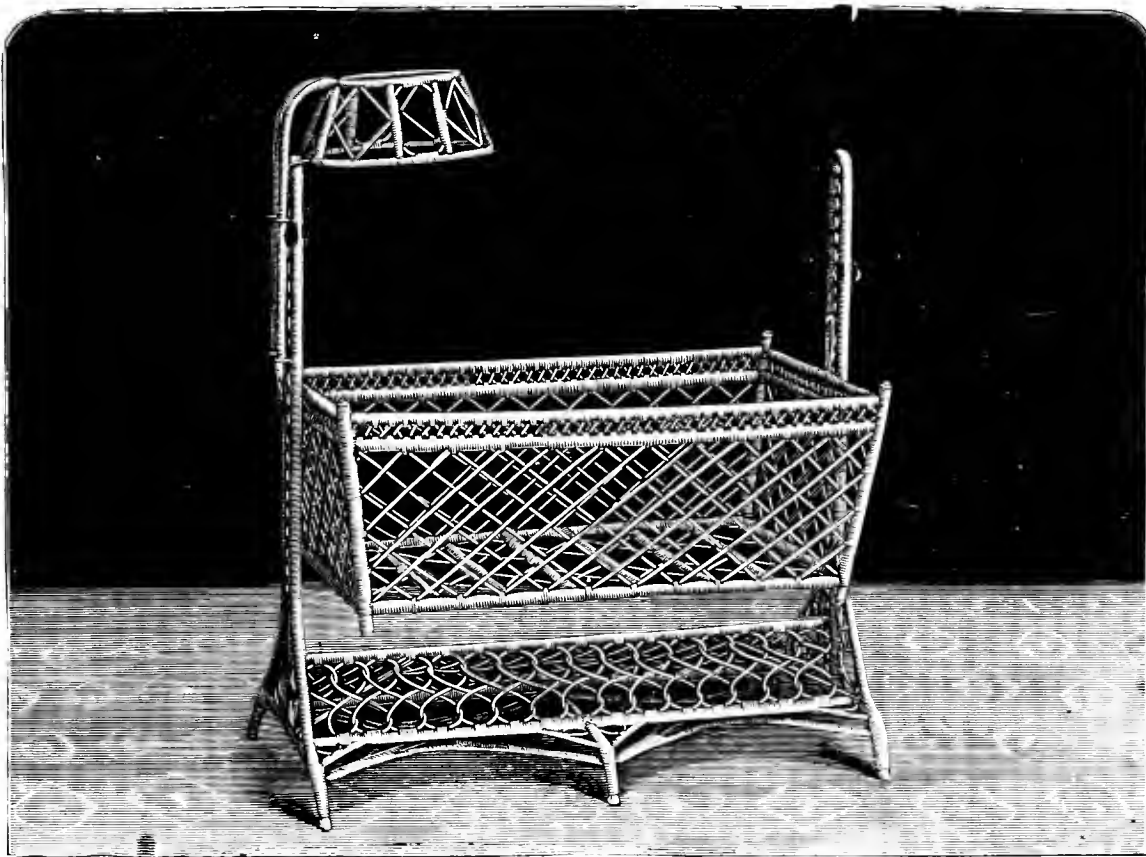
No. 691.	Small,	3 ft. 6 in. x 2 ft.,	\$18.00
No. 691.	Medium,	3 ft. 10 in. x 2 ft. 4 in.	21.00
No. 691.	Large,	4 ft. x 2 ft. 8 in.	24.00

CHILD'S CRIB.

Same shape and size as 691. Filled in as shown in cut 693.

No. 690.	Small,	\$9.00
No. 690.	Medium,	11.00
No. 690.	Large,	12.00



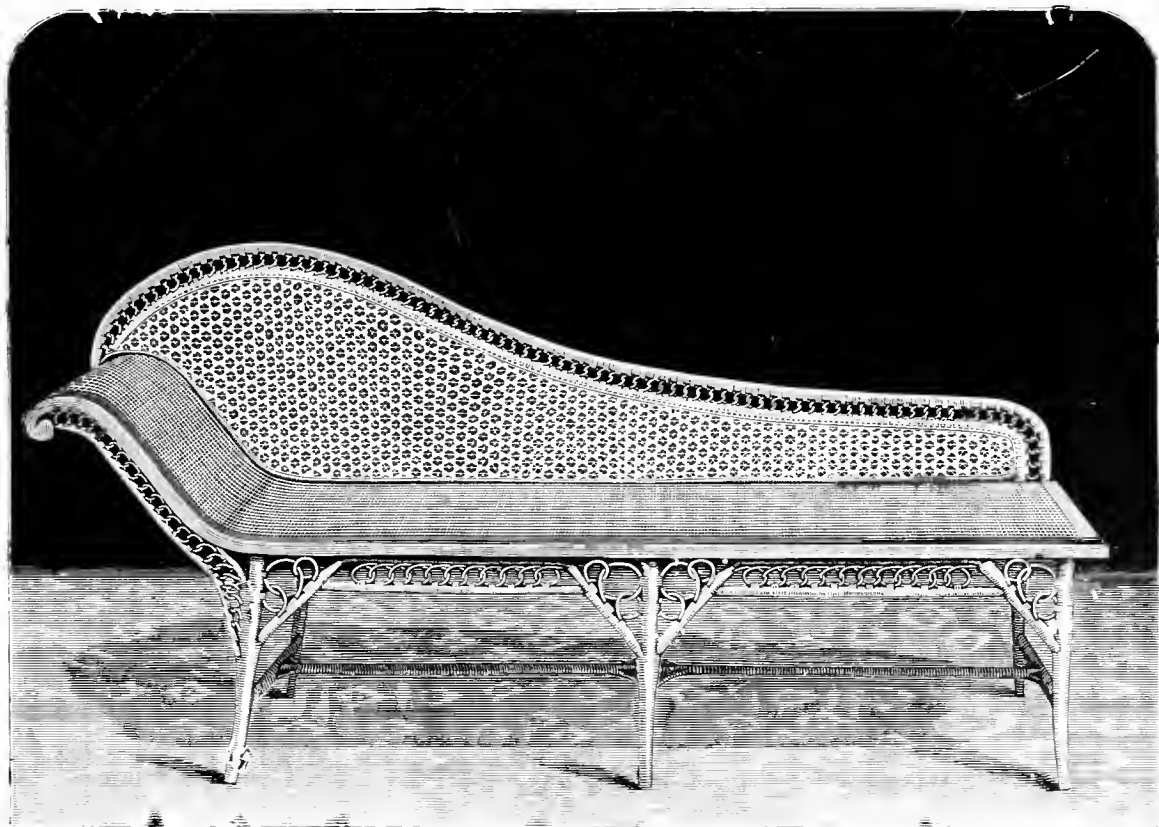


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No. 693.	Child's Swing Crib, with Canopy,	\$11.00
No. 695.	Same as No. 693, filled in with Star Work as in No. 691,	15.00



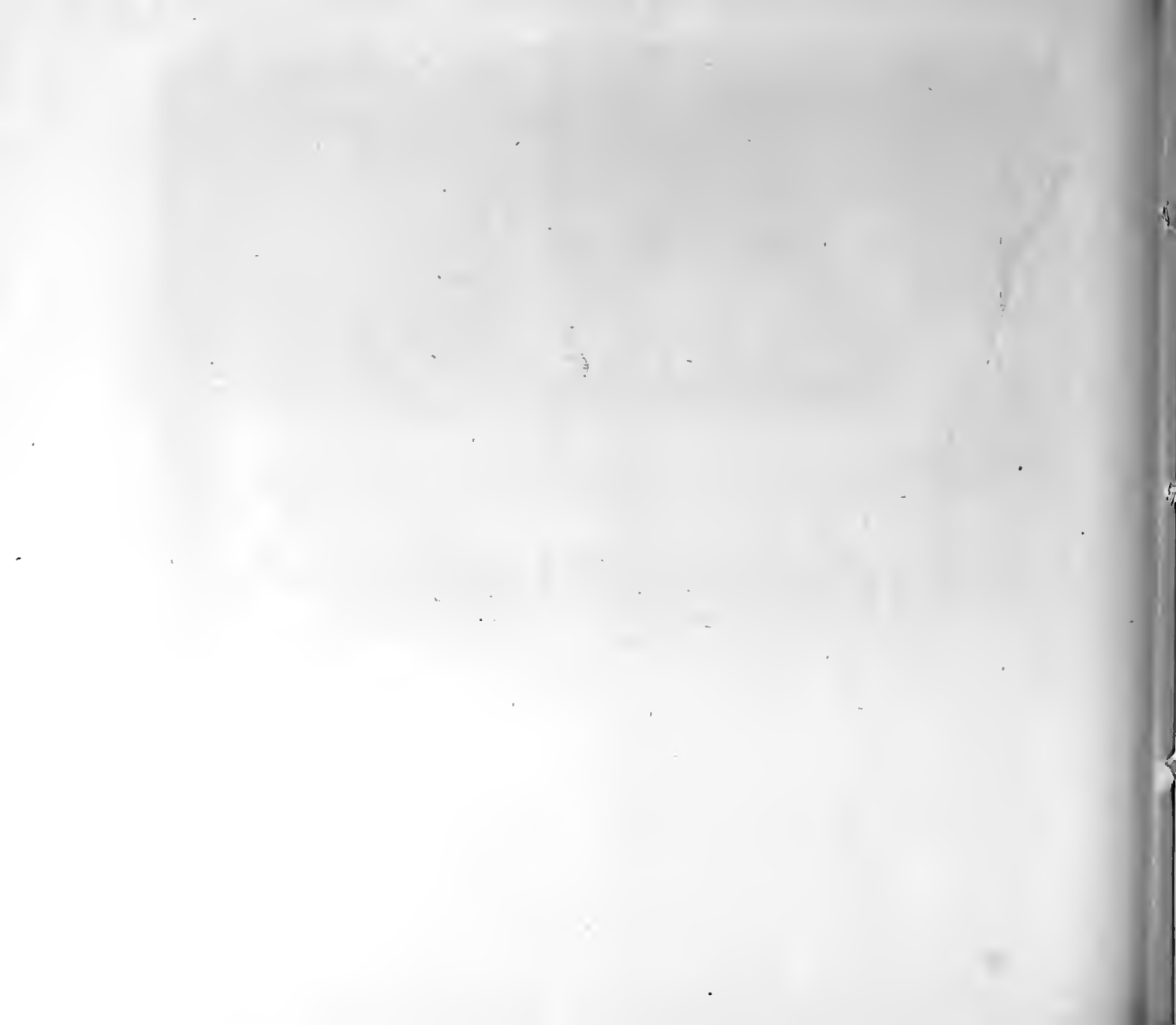


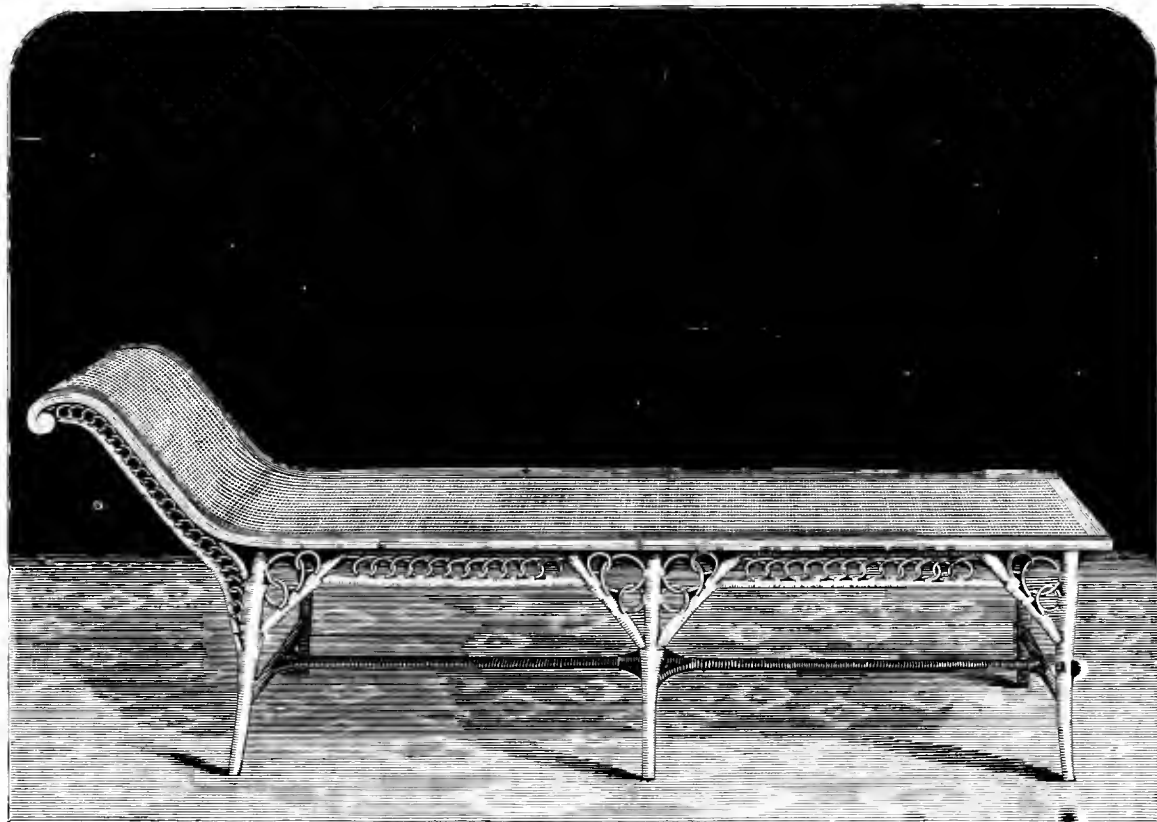


No. 704.

No. 704. Star Back Lounge,

\$16.00.

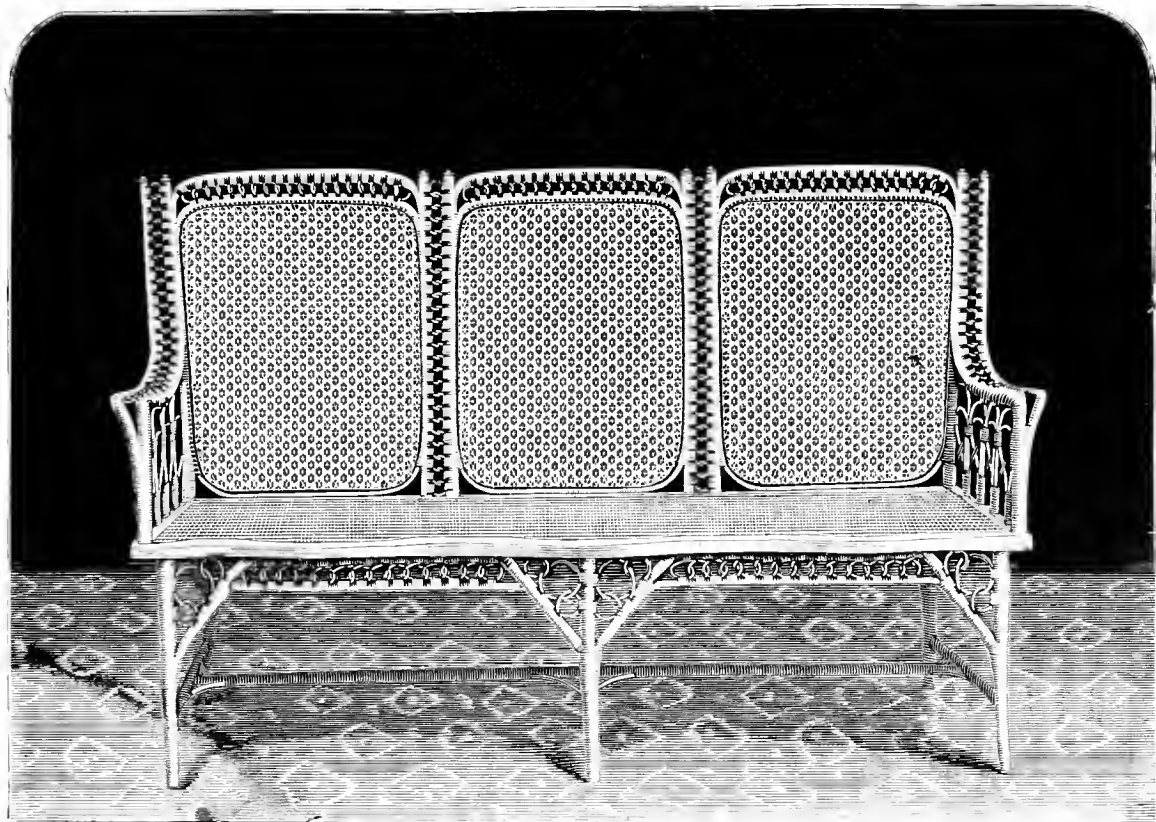




No. 706.

No. 706.	Woven Cane Couch,	\$14.00
No. 707.	“ “ “ with Arms,	16.00





No. 735.

No. 735. Eastlake Star Back Settee, \$25.00

Tete-a-Tetes and Settees made to match any pattern of Chair or Rocker shown in this book, prices ranging from \$15.00 to \$35.00.





No. 755.

No. 754.	Woven Top Table,	17 x 28 inches,	\$9.00
No. 755.	" " "	20 x 32 "	11.00
No. 756.	" " "	23 x 36 "	13.00
No. 748.	Round Top Stand,	18 inches in diameter,	\$9.00
No. 749.	" " "	20 " "	11.00
No. 750.	" " "	24 " "	13.00











